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In re Application of
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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed October 1, 2001, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (Notice) mailed April 26, 2000. The Notice set a period for reply of two (2) months from the mail date of the Notice. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned after midnight June 26, 2000.

Finance records indicate that the Office charged the petition fee based on the new fee increase. Petitioner should note, that effective October 1, 2001, unintentional petition to revive fees were increased from \$1240.00 to \$1280.00. However, since a certificate of mailing dated September 26, 2001, accompanied the petition filed October 1, 2001, the difference of \$40.00 will be refunded to petitioner's deposit account.

The application file is being forwarded to the Office of Initial Examination Unit for further processing.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Andrea Coram at (703) 308-6711.

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